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INSTITUTE NEW SPECIALIZED TRAINING CENTERS

OPEN ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING TECHNICAL SCHOOL -- Berlin, Der Volksbetrieb, No 6,
15 Mar 50

The Central Technical School for Electrical Engineering has been established by the Main Administration for Electrical Power in Markkleeberg, near Leipzig. The school is to train the young generation of specialists for the electrical industry, which will require 8,000-10,000 master technicians, engineers, and specialists within the next few years.

The school will conduct two master courses of six semesters each, in which students will be trained in electrical and gas engineering. The building houses four lecture rooms, a students' lounge, a permanent model exhibition, instructors' and administrative offices, as well as a laboratory for heating technology and a newly constructed central laboratory with 32 completely equipped practice stations, a laboratory for electrophysical experiments, etc. The dormitories of the school will accommodate 70 students. Schooling, including meals and lodging, is free of charge for students recommended by the works administrations.

The students will spend about one third of their training as practical workers in various enterprises with varying technical equipment.

ESTABLISH PLANNED ECONOMY INSTITUTE -- Berlin, Die Wirtschaft, 6 Oct 50

The new Institute for Planned Economy was opened in the Planck Gymnasium building in Berlin-Karlshorst on 4 October 1950. It will be headed by Eva Altmann, who was appointed professor during the opening ceremony.

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The institute will have the following departments: Political Economy of Capitalism and Socialism, Socialist Planned Economy in the USSR and the People's Democracies, Finance Planning, Trade Planning, Management of People-Owned Enterprises, and Statistics.

It will have the following independent seminars: Philosophy, History of the Worker's Movement and Economic History, Principles of Government and Administration, Law, and Technology.

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